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AMENDMENT

In response to the Office Action of 08.31.07, please amend the above application as follows:

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AMENDMENTS TO DESCRIPTION OF RELATED ART.

[0002.1] DESCRIPTION OF RELATED ART

Many toilet ventilation systems exist, but none of them disclose a toilet tank device that extracts odor primarily from the toilet bowl, thus eliminating any odor exposure in the room and to the user. Scott III U.S.Pat.No.5,930,844 teaches a drain pipe communicating between tank and a bowl and air flow control arrangement including resistance to water flow into the air ventilation duct. Curiel U.S.Pat.No.5,839,127 show an odor extractor device connected to the overflow tub of the toilet assembly. A flexible sheet maximizes the suction. Eager U.S.Pat.No.5,305,472 connects the water passageway of the toilet assembly with an extractor device to extract the odors from the toilet bowl. Antepenko U.S.Pat.No.5,199,111 did not show a toilet tank to be part of his invention. He claims @paragraph 40 pag.3 "toilet odor removing apparatus comprising" @ "a pair of generally L-shaped pipes, each having a first end and a second end". Pope Sr. U.S.Pat.No.6,363,542 B1 claims @ paragraph 5 page.3 an exhaust manifold disposed between the bowl and tank of the toilet. Unfortunately those inventions need significantly modifications or adaptations to the toilet plumbing system, require plumbing code approval and may not be economically and esthetically incorporated into existing conventional toilets or new building constructions.